UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket:

622/40901RE

Applicant: ROMAN SCHERTLER

Serial No.: 08/530,778

3206 \ Group Art Unit:

RECEIVE

Filed:

SEPTEMBER 19, 1995 Examiner: KHAN V. NGUYEN

DEC 1 3 1996

Title: A VACUUM PROCESS APPARATUS

**GROUP 3200** 

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by three months pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

A check in the amount of \$930.00 is submitted herewith in payment of the required extension fee. This amount is believed to be correct, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket ##622/40901RE). duplicate copy of this letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

December 3, 1996

fames F. McKeown

Registration No. 25,406

EVENSON, McKEOWN, EDWARDS

& LENAHAN, P.L.L.C.

1200 G Street, N.W., Suite 700

Washington, DC 20005

Telephone No.: (202) 628-8800 Facsimile No.: (202) 628-8844

JFM/jaf

290 FB 12/10/96 08530778 930.00 CK 1 117